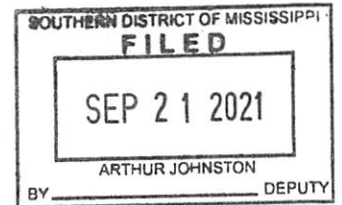


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI
EASTERN DIVISION



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

CRIMINAL NO. *2:21CR27-KSMTP*

DEAUNDRE BATES
a/k/a Diggy

18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1)

The Grand Jury charges:

On or about June 15, 2021, in Forrest County in the Eastern Division of the Southern District of Mississippi, and elsewhere, the defendant, **DEAUNDRE BATES a/k/a Diggy**, knowing he had previously been convicted of a crime which is punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, knowingly possessed a firearm, and the firearm was in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(g)(1) and 924(a)(2).

NOTICE OF INTENT TO SEEK CRIMINAL FORFEITURE

As a result of committing the offense as alleged in this Indictment, the defendant, **DEAUNDRE BATES**, shall forfeit to the United States all property involved in or traceable to property involved in the offense, including but not limited to all proceeds obtained directly or indirectly from the offenses, and all property used to facilitate the offense.

The Grand Jury has determined that probable cause exists to believe that the following property is subject to forfeiture as a result of the offense alleged in this Indictment:

- (1) **Bersa revolver, model Thunder380, .380 caliber, serial number 740890; and**
- (2) **Any ammunition seized.**

Further, if any property described above, as a result of any act or omission of the defendant: (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence; (b) has been transferred or

sold to, or deposited with, a third party; (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court; (d) has been substantially diminished in value; or (e) has been commingled with other property, which cannot be divided without difficulty, then it is the intent of the United States to seek a judgment of forfeiture of any other property of the defendant, up to the value of the property described in this notice or any bill of particulars supporting it.

All pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(d)(1); and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c).


DARREN J. LAMARCA
Acting United States Attorney

A TRUE BILL:

s/ signature redacted

 Foreperson of the Grand Jury

This Indictment was returned in open court by the foreperson or deputy foreperson of the Grand Jury on this the 21st day of September 2021.


UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE